

The Paducah Sun.

THE WEATHER.
Fair tonight and Tuesday.
Slightly warmer tonight.

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PADUCAH KENTUCKY. MONDAY EVENING, JAN. 29. 1906

10 CENTS PER WEEK.

MANY POSTOFFICES ARE BEING ROBBED

Gang Said to Be Operating in
Kentucky and Ohio.

Peoria, Ill., Policeman Shoots at
Many While Violently Insane—
Tragedy in Iowa.

SOME OTHER LATE CRIMES

Cincinnati, Jan. 29.—The post-office officials believe that an organized band of burglars is operating on postoffices in Ohio and Kentucky. Information was received today of three robberies last night.

The safe and postoffice at New Richmond, O., was blown and \$700 secured, and at Anchorage, Ky., \$500 was taken. The postoffice at Ramsey, O., was burglarized, but the amount secured is unknown.

Mad Man Runs Amuck.

Peoria, Jan. 29.—Charles Harwood, former policeman, now violently insane, entered police headquarters yesterday afternoon and at the point of a revolver held up the chief of police and seven officials, but failed to shoot them because the cartridge snapped. He backed out of the station and escaped. Within an hour after he entered the residence of Mrs. Montgomery, whom he assaulted with the butt of his gun.

Saturday night he compelled his wife to disrobe and then drove her into the street.

At 1 o'clock this morning Harwood suddenly appeared on the porch in his underwear and a gun in each hand. Exchanged shots with the officers. No one was hit. A siege continues.

His Father Killed.

Hartford City, Ind., Jan. 29.—A telegram to Harry Tarr from Dawson City tells of the killing of his father, Alonzo D. Tarr. The cause of the killing was not given. On his person was an insurance policy for \$2,000 in favor of his son Harry and daughter, Ethel.

Fought With Pistols.

Ottumwa, Ia., Jan. 29.—"Red" Russell was shot and probably fatally wounded in a saloon at Eldon by Marshal Samuel Crow. Russell's brother, Frank, followed Marshal Crow from the saloon, and a pistol fight followed. Russell was shot in the shoulder and Crow was wounded in the head, in the hand and twice in the leg. The shooting was the culmination of a feud of long standing. Frank Russell and Crow will recover.

Tragedy in Road.

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 29.—Hick Rathburn met Bud Powell in the road yesterday and Powell shot Rathburn who then cut Powell's throat. He died in the road and Rathburn will also die.

NEWSPAPER MAN DEAD

Thomas G. Watkins a Victim of Paralysis in Hart County.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 29.—Thomas G. Watkins, formerly city editor of the Courier-Journal and Times, and later commercial editor of the Courier-Journal, died this morning of paralysis at his home at Cammer, Hart county.

THOUSANDS AT CAPITAL

Are Wearing President McKinley's Favorite Flower.

Washington, Jan. 29.—"Carnation Day" was generally observed at the capital. Thousands of private citizens, officials and visitors are wearing President McKinley's favorite flower.

Traction Company is to Renew Globes For Its Customers in a Short Time

The Paducah Light and Power Co. will soon inaugurate a feature that means a big saving to its customers in the way of a reduction of lights. In a few weeks the company proposes to renew all electric globes.

The wattage of the globes now used is 3 1/2 and the company proposes to replace these with 3 1-10

NEW AUGER

Connecticut Girl Invents One That Will Bore Square Hole.

Winston, Conn., Jan. 29.—Clara Smith has invented an auger which will bore a square hole. She is of an inventive turn of mind, but the auger is the best of her productions. Carpenters say there is a fortune in it.

\$50,000 FIRE

At a Philadelphia Undertakers—Several Have Narrow Escape.

Philadelphia, Jan. 29.—Oliver Pairs' undertaking rooms were damaged \$50,000 dollars by fire this morning. Matron Casse saved the lives of six employees by arousing them in the sleeping quarters. The men then saved the bodies of two persons who were to be buried from the establishment today. The origin of the fire is unknown.

A BETTER CHANCE FOR MAYFIELD NOW

Congressman James May Get
Government Building.

Mr. Yerkes Says He Took No Part
in the Bowling Green
Case.

THE MURRAY POST OFFICE.

Washington, Jan. 29.—Representative Ollie James, who has succeeded in securing an order from the postoffice department for free rural delivery in Mayfield, is working for his bill for a federal building there.

There is a better chance for the \$100,000 building, since the city has been recommended by the postal authorities as being large enough for free delivery.

Mr. James thinks a public building bill would be introduced from the committee at this session. Kentucky will be especially interested in the bill, as federal buildings have been asked for a number of Kentucky towns.

"I took no part in the Bowling Green postoffice case," said John W. Yerkes this afternoon, in response to a question as to whether he recommended W. R. Speck for appointment or interested himself in the charges filed against him after the nomination.

If Mr. Speck is confirmed, it will be due to the efforts of William Henry Jones, although it is understood that both sides sought Mr. Yerkes' influence.

E. B. Hurt is said to have Mr. Yerkes' endorsement for the postmastership at Murray, and will probably "land."

KING CHRISTIAN IX DIES AT COPENHAGEN.

Copenhagen, Denmark, Jan. 29.—King Christian IX, died this afternoon.

King Christian was one of the oldest monarchs. He was father of the Queen of England, and grandfather of the new queen, Maude, of Norway.

King Christian was known as Europe's father-in-law. He was grandfather of the Czar, father of King George, of Greece, father-in-law of Princess Louise, only daughter of the late King of Sweden, and father-in-law of Princess Marie, of Orleans.

FELL FROM MOVING TRAIN NEAR WINGO

D. Randolph, a Sign Writer
Probably Fatally Injured.

Attempted to Jump, Having Passed
His Station—Found Yesterday
Morning.

HE WAS WORKING IN PADUCAH.

D. Randolph, a signwriter of Mayfield, and well-known in Paducah, where he has worked, lies at his home in Mayfield probably fatally injured, the result of a fall from a moving freight train one mile south of Wingo, Graves county, Ky., Saturday night.

Randolph had been in Paducah and desired to return home early Sunday morning. He did not wait for a passenger train, the first being due at 3:40, but, it is alleged, boarded a freight train in the local yards and started south. He intended to get off at Mayfield, but dozed off to sleep and did not awake until he had passed Wingo.

He realized he had been carried by his station, and tried to get off. In some way he fell and broke an arm and leg and sustained internal injuries, it is thought.

He was rendered unconscious and was not found until Sunday morning after sunrise.

Randolph was taken home to Mayfield and his injuries dressed. It is said that his condition is precarious and his physicians have little hope for recovery. His leg and arms are badly fractured and he shows symptoms of internal injuries, and was very low this afternoon.

Randolph has had many narrow escapes from probable death. About six months ago at Mayfield he was employed to paint the standpipe, which is 140 feet high. He started down the tall pipe and rather than work his way down on the ladder, took to a rope which he had secured to the top of the standpipe. He let himself down about 20 feet, and then suddenly saw he would give out before the ground was reached. It was too late to pull himself up and he was on the other side of the pipe and out of reach of the ladder.

Randolph wrapped his legs about the rope and began to slide the remaining distance of 120 feet. His legs and ankle were cut and burned by the rope nearly to the bone and he was laid up with blood poison for several weeks as a result.

Randolph had been out only a short time and was just getting into shape again for work when he met with the accident Saturday.

Senator Burton's Case April 2.

Washington, Jan. 29.—In the supreme court today motion by the solicitor general to advance the hearing of arguments in the case of Senator Blackburn, of Kansas, convicted in the lower court of illegal practice before the departments, was granted and the hearing set for April 2.

TODAY'S MARKETS

| Wheat— | Open | Close. |
|---------------|----------|----------|
| May | 84 1/4 | 84 3/4 |
| July | 83 | 83 3/4 |
| Corn— | | |
| May | .44 | .44 |
| July | .44 1/4 | .44 1/4 |
| Oats— | | |
| May | .30 1/2 | .30 1/2 |
| Pork— | | |
| May | 14.07 | 14.10 |
| Cotton— | | |
| Mch. | 11.25 | 11.10 |
| May | 11.36 | 11.27 |
| July | 11.43 | 11.35 |
| Stocks— | | |
| L. C. | 1.77 1/2 | 1.76 1/2 |
| L. & N. | 1.52 1/2 | 1.50 1/2 |
| T. C. I. | 1.58 1/2 | 1.55 |
| Rdg. | 1.46 | 1.30 1/2 |

Local Market.

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| Country bacon—12 1/2 c. |
| Smoked sausage—12 1/2 c. |
| Green sausage—10 c. |
| Sweet potatoes—50 c. per bu. |
| Irish potatoes—80 c. per bu. |
| Chickens—30 c. to 35 c. |
| Eggs—18 c. |
| Butter—20 c. |
| Pork—6 c. |
| Beef—2 1/2 c. to 6 1/2 c. |
| Corn—50 c. per bu. |
| Hay—\$10 to \$12. |
| Loose hay—\$11 to \$12. |
| Lard—10 c. |
| Radishes—2 bunches, 15 c. |
| Lettuce—2 bunches, 15 c. |

TAPS SOUNDED FOR GEN. JOE WHEELER

Veteran Warrior Laid to Rest
This Afternoon.

The President and Many Other Prominent
Officials Paid Their Last
Respects.

BURIAL ARLINGTON CEMETERY.

Washington, Jan. 29.—With all the honors of his rank, Maj.-Gen. Joseph Wheeler was buried at Arlington today. Behind the caisson which carried his body marched veterans of the Confederate army, and soldiers of the Spanish American war.

All the morning the remains laid in state at St. John Episcopal church and were visited by almost continuous throngs.

The funeral services at 2 o'clock were attended by President Roosevelt, and several members of his cabinet, and a large concourse of army and navy officers.

Services were conducted by the Rt. Rev. Roland Cotton Smith, rector of the church.

A brief service from the military ritual was held at the grave, followed by the firing of three volleys and the sounding of taps.

Funeral in New York.

New York, Jan. 29.—An imposing military pageant passing across Brooklyn bridge, brief services at St. Thomas' Episcopal church on Fifth avenue, and an escort across the North river ferry to Jersey City, where the body was placed on a train to be taken to Washington for interment in the National Cemetery at Arlington, marked the funeral in this city yesterday of Brig.-Gen. Joseph Wheeler.

The body of the dead soldier was wrapped in flags under which he had served with almost equal vigor and distinction—the Stars and Bars of the Confederate states, and the Stars and Stripes. Veterans of the Southern and Northern armies mingled together in paying tribute to Gen. Wheeler, with the younger veterans of the Cuban and Philippine campaigns of 1898 and 1899. The route of the funeral cortege was lined with great crowds, most of whom stood with bared heads as the procession passed.

The funeral took place from the home of Gen. Wheeler's sister, Mrs. Sterling Smith in Brooklyn, where Gen. Wheeler died on Thursday, of pneumonia. The body was borne from the house by eight non-commissioned officers of infantry and placed upon a flag-draped artillery caisson.

Riderless Horse.

A riderless horse, with boots reversed in the stirrups and a cavalry sword dangling from the saddle was led just behind the caisson. The church edifice was thronged.

The altar of the church was almost hidden beneath the floral offerings, one amongst them, a great wreath, sent by President Roosevelt.

The brief services were conducted by the Rev. Ernest Stires, rector of the church, assisted by Rev. Dr. Morgan Dix, who, meeting the body at the door, led the way to the chancel. After the casket had been placed on the pedestal the full vested choir of St. Thomas entered the church singing as a processional hymn, "Lead Kindly Light."

Following the church services the body was escorted to Jersey City, where it was placed on board a train of the Pennsylvania railroad, which left for Washington shortly after 6 o'clock.

RUNNING FULL SPEED.

Two Trains Collided Near Chillicothe
This Morning.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 29.—Early this morning a Santa Fe freight and passenger train collided near Chillicothe. Both trains were running full speed and both engines and several cars were demolished. The engineer of the passenger train and brakeman and fireman of the freight were instantly killed and several passengers were bruised. No one was fatally hurt.

The Packers Must Be Tried By Jury.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Testimony was resumed today in the preliminary trial of packers charged with conspiracy in restraint of trade. The effort to have the case decided by the court without a jury failed.

PROMINENT COUPLE

Dr. J. H. Dye and Wife, of Louisville,
Struck By Train.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 29.—Dr. J. H. Dye, the wealthiest and most prominent dentist in Louisville, and Mrs. Dye were instantly killed by a train at Burchels, Ky., in this county, this morning. They had spent Sunday with their country friends and were coming to the city in their automobile.

PASTOR'S WIFE BURNED.

While He Was Preaching 200 Feet
Away.

Whitman, Mass., Jan. 29.—The wife of Rev. Frank Shattuck, pastor of the church of the Advent, was burned to death in her home last night while her husband was delivering a sermon two hundred feet away. The bereaved clergyman is said to be in a precarious condition.

COMMERCIAL CLUB WILL MEET TONIGHT

Secretary Coons Returns From
His Trip East.

Has a Great Big Proposition For Paducah and Will Report to the
Club Tonight.

INVESTIGATED IMMIGRATION.

Secretary D. W. Coons, of the Commercial club, has returned from a trip to several eastern cities in the interest of the club and several of its projects, and a meeting of the club is called for tonight at 7:30 to hear Mr. Coon's report and to adopt plans to carry out some of the propositions that are to come up.

"I am very much pleased with my trip," Mr. Coons said today. "I investigated the immigration question for our club while in New York City, and find in it a work that will be fruitful of good results if we go about it properly. It will take time and money and a good deal of work, but we should be willing to expend them all."

"I wish to lay before the members tonight all the information I have and the suggestions I can make. We can get a good many of the very best immigrants coming to this county diverted to Paducah and this county, and we should go out after them. This will take proper organization and effective work, and this is one of the things for us to discuss tonight."

"I have also a great, big proposition for our club.—The location of a plant that will employ 300 hands and have a monthly payroll of \$10,000. It is a good proposition, I think but it will take united work, and money to secure it. I want to have all the members to hear the proposition and to see if we can hope to handle it."

"I have some other very interesting matters to lay before the club, too, and hope for a good meeting."

TEXAS STRIKERS CAUSE A GIGANTIC VOLCANIC ERUPTION.

Houston, Texas, Jan. 29.—At 1 o'clock this morning the Humble Oil field strikers, it is alleged, by a system of well plugging, caused a volcanic disturbance which shook the earth for miles. Two craters were formed six hundred feet in diameter, and derricks and machinery were swallowed up.

Eruptions followed and rock mud and lava were hurled thousands of feet high, covering an extensive territory as they fell.

The eruptions were accompanied by sheets of fire, due to gas, becoming ignited and mud and lava are boiling up, and running in rivulets in all directions. Intense excitement exists.

Quiet in Manchuria.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 29.—Count Witte today received a telegram from General Linkevitch reporting all quiet with the Manchurian armies. General Linkevitch also reports that order prevails in Vladivostok, where the mutinous sailors have been disarmed.

DOSE OF LAUDANUM KILLS MRS. BOAZ

Young Matron Found Unconscious at Her Boarding House.

She Had Been in Bad Health and it
is Supposed Took It With
Suicidal Intent.

FORMERLY LIVED AT BOAZ, KY.

Mrs. Mertie Boaz, aged 28, wife of James Boaz, formerly a brakeman in the employ of the N. C. & St. L. road here, but now of the M. & O. road, southern division, died this morning between 3 and 4 o'clock from the effects of an overdose of laudanum taken, it is supposed, with suicidal intent last night about 7 o'clock. She took the drug in a fit of despondency it is presumed, because of ill health and domestic troubles.

The woman separated from her husband more than two months ago, and had been residing at the boarding house of Mr. A. W. Peoples, on South Fifth street between Husbands and Norton streets, since her separation. She had been in ill health for several weeks and was feeling too bad to get up yesterday morning. Her meals were taken to her room and she ate but little, seeming to have no appetite. About 7 o'clock last night Mrs. Peoples went to Mrs. Boaz's room and walked in after repeated knocks had failed to bring any response.

Mrs. Boaz was found in a semi-conscious state. She could not be aroused to speech, and Dr. B. T. Hall was hastily summoned. He arrived shortly afterwards and began to administer antidotes, but with little effect. The drug had done its work, and the woman expired at 3:30 this morning without having regained consciousness.

It is not known exactly how much laudanum she took, but an ounce vial was found on her dresser, with three-fourths of the contents gone.

Mrs. Boaz was daughter of Thos. A. McNeil, a farmer of the Boaz Station neighborhood, of Graves county. She married about 8 years ago and had lived in Paducah since her marriage. When domestic troubles caused her to separate from her husband over two months ago, he left the city. Her health has not been good, and she has often been seized with fits of despondency. The report that she had previously attempted suicide is denied by her relatives.

Her relatives were notified last night and this morning her father, Mr. Thomas A. McNeil; sister, Mrs. Jules Switzer, of the city, and several other relatives were called to the city. They attended the inquest this morning and will this afternoon take the remains to Boaz station for interment.

She was a very attractive woman, well known on the South Side. She leaves a father, sister and brother. Mrs. Switzer, her sister, is the wife of the well-known I. C. machinist. Her brother is Mr. Hubert McNeil, of near Boaz Station.

The young woman was a member of the Mission Baptist church and the funeral will be held at Boaz Station tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from that church.

Coroner Frank Eaker this morning held an inquest over the remains of the deceased, the verdict being of suicide. It reads as follows:

"Jury empaneled and duly sworn, that said Mertie Boaz came to her death by suicide by laudanum at 1018 South Fifth street at 3:35 a. m. No blame laid to any one."

(Signed) P. T. ENGLERT, Foreman.

J. H. SHORT.

DAN GALVIN.

ARIS JAMES.

C. S. MEADES.

ARTHUR HART.

SIR THOMAS

Is Getting Ready to Again Challenge
for American Cup.

London, Jan. 29.—The Observer a yachting authority, says that Sir Thomas Lipton is preparing to challenge again for the America's cup.

Printers to Strike in Boston.

Boston, Jan. 29.—The typographical union yesterday voted that all union men and women employed in the book and job offices in the city to go on a strike Thursday if the eight-hour work day is not established.

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Excellent Cast

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RIVER NEWS

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MYSTERY OF GIRL NOT CLEARED UP

Asked That Her Trunk Be Shipped to Mayfield, Ky.

It is Feared That She Has Done Something Rash—Left No Clue at College.

HAS RELATIVES IN MAYFIELD

The disappearance from college of Miss Lura Davidson, of Mayfield, Ky., as announced in Saturday's dispatches from London, Ky., has created quite a sensation in the state, and every effort is being exerted to discover some clue to the girl's whereabouts.

A later dispatch than the one Saturday says:

"Mystery still surrounds the disappearance of Miss Lura Davidson from one of the cottages of the Sue Bennett Memorial school here Friday night. She and some other girls were living in the cottage and attending school. Her roommates retired leaving her preparing her lessons, and they did not know until morning that she was gone.

She left a note on her table asking her roommates to ship her trunk to her sister at Mayfield, Ky., and saying that she was tired of life and was going to end it, and that they would never see her again. Her trunk was packed ready for shipment.

Although Prof. J. C. Lewis, principal of the school, and others have made diligent inquiries no clue can be found to her whereabouts. It has been learned that she did not leave London on either of the trains going out that night.

Miss Davidson is an orphan girl and has one aunt, Mrs. Belle Chester, living at 1617 Maiden Lane, Louisville, Ky. She came here at the beginning of the present school term at the request of Miss Lucy Lee Mahan, the evangelist who is paying her way. Miss Davidson was religiously inclined, and it was the intention of Miss Mahan to educate her for the ministry.

Many theories have been advanced as to what has become of the girl, but nothing has been learned today to warrant any conclusion.

A Louisville dispatch says: "When interviewed last night Mrs. Belle Chester, who had received a telegram from Prof. Lewis announcing the disappearance of her niece, stated that it was her opinion that the girl had met with foul play. She said that there was nothing in the girl's nature to lead her to suspect that she had taken her own life.

"Miss Davidson visited her aunt during the Christmas holidays, leaving for school again on New Year's day. About a week later Mrs. Chester received a letter from her in her usual cheerful vein, and a few days afterward replied to it. Not having received an answer to her letter for over a week, Mrs. Chester began to feel a little uneasy, and was contemplating writing again when the telegram announcing the disappearance of her niece reached her.

"So far as Mrs. Chester was aware Miss Davidson had had only one affair of the heart, and that was with a young Methodist evangelist, whose name she does not know, but who was in Boston at the time her niece was visiting her here. So far as she knew there was no misunderstanding of any kind between them.

"Mrs. Chester describes her niece as being a very pretty and very intelligent young woman, with dark eyes, dark hair and fair skin. She was about twenty-one years of age, and was slightly over five feet tall. She usually wore glasses. Her parents are both dead and she has been living with her grandfather, N. A. Coulter, a prominent farmer near Mayfield, Ky. A brother lives in Mississippi and a sister in Tennessee. Two younger sisters live with their grandfather."

Headaches and Neuralgia From Colds

Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world wide cold and Grip Remedy, removes the cause. Call for the full name and look for the signature of H. Grove, 25c.

SUPT. LEIB

Will Attend National Meeting at Louisville Next Month.

Supt. C. M. Leib, of the Paducah public schools, will attend the meeting of the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational association at Louisville, Feb. 27 and 28, and Mar. 1st.

It is expected that 600 delegates will be in attendance from all over the United States. Supt. Leib has also been notified that the executive board of the Kentucky Educational association will meet at Louisville to arrange for annual meeting at Bowling Green this year.

Destiny robs no man of all until she fleches from him his dreams.

THE CARMEN

THEIR EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
WILL MEET IN CHICAGO
MARCH 20.

Mr. Quincy Wallace, of Paducah, is Secretary and Will Probably Be Re-elected.

Notices of the annual meeting of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen of America's executive committee, are being sent out to the different brotherhoods on the system, and Mr. Quincy Wallace, secretary and treasurer of the committee, received his yesterday.

The notices read that the meeting will be held in Chicago on the 20th of March and all members of the committee are urged to be present. At this meeting the annual election of officers for the ensuing year will be held and other matters of a routine nature transacted.

This is the committee which meets with the officials of the road and discusses grievances, the arrangement of rates for pay to employees in the brotherhood, etc but these matters will not be taken up at this meeting.

Mr. Wallace has been the secretary and treasurer for the committee for a year and has made an excellent officer. It is understood the committee is in favor of re-electing him to the position.

One of the best offices in the order always goes to a Paducah man because of the importance of the local brotherhood, it being one of the biggest and most important on the system.

Theatrical Notes

RIVER STAGES.

Cairo, 35.8—0.4, fall.
Cincinnati, 33.1—0.5, fall.
Evansville, 25.4—2.0, rise.
Johnsonville, 20.9—1.1, fall.
Louisville, 10.8—0.8, rise.
Mt. Carmel, 16.9, stand.
Pittsburg, 6.6—2.8, fall.
Davis Island Dam, 8.4—1.0, fall.
St. Louis, 12.7—0.4, fall.

Paducah, 29.5—0.8, fall.

The gauge registered 29.5 feet this morning, a fall since Saturday of 1.1 feet. Reports from Pittsburg and above are not so favorable for much water, and unless there is a rainfall at Pittsburg soon the coal-boating stage will be terminated.

The Richardson got away for Clarksville at noon today.

The Chattanooga cleared for Chattanooga with a very good trip at noon today.

The Joe Fowler was the Evansville packet today.

The Dick Fowler was late in getting away for Cairo today on account of the fog, but had a good passenger and freight trip.

The Stacker Lee arrived from Memphis this afternoon and left for Cincinnati and way points.

The Eagle left for the Mississippi river today for a tow of lumber.

The heavy fog this morning interfered a great deal with the boats, all of them being late in getting in and out.

The Sprague, now on her way to New Orleans, has over 1,250,000 bushels of coal. It would require a long string of cars and a big bunch of locomotives to handle that amount of coal.

Capt. H. C. Wood, now living at Florence, Ala., was second clerk on the Louisville and Tennessee river packet Greek Slave in 1850. At the same time the Tishimingo, John Simpson and Camella were regular packets in the Louisville and Tennessee river trade. In 1855 Mr. Wood was first clerk on the William Dickson, running between this city and Florence, Ala. At that time the R. M. Patton and W. A. Johnson were in the same trade.—Courier-Journal.

The Eclipse, the finest and fastest boat of her time, was running in the Louisville and New Orleans trade in 1855. The Jacob Strader and Telegraph were also running in the Louisville and Cincinnati trade. Both boats were very fast. The David White and Alvin Adams were rival boats in the same trade that year.... On December 24, 1855, the Dickson started over the falls with the late Capt. Pink Varble at the wheel. The Dickson struck an ice gorge.

Engraving

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Your 5 cents will buy three of the million Old Virginia Cheroots smoked every day.

Sold wherever they sell tobacco

TRADE MARK



swung around and went over stern foremost. Capt. Pink landed her at the Portland wharf all right. She laid there until next morning, which was Christmas, and finally got frozen in good and fast and laid there until March 1, 1866, when she got away all right and reached Paducah.—Courier-Journal.

Capt. Harry Gilbert, of the John S. Hopkins is taking a rest for a month from the arduous duties of steamboating. D. L. Penny has taken his place on the steamer.

The Electra Saturday took on 5,000 bags of corn just above the city for Capt. Wm. Rahm. The shipment is for Nashville. The day before the Hopkins took on 1,000 bags of corn for Capt. Rahm from the Aiklin farm just above the city and will carry the load to Paducah, where it will be transferred to another steamer for delivery up the Cumberland river.—Evansville Journal-News.

Capt. Isaac Newton Bondurant, prominent mail line riverman, died at Madison, Ind., Saturday. He was last on the Levi J. Workum.

Thomas Staid, formerly of the Stacker Lee, was yesterday appointed master of the steamer Ferd Herold, and Wm. L. Stapleton, was made master of the Stacker Lee.—Memphis Commercial-Appeal.

BUGGIES COLLIDE

On the Broadway Road—No One Seriously Hurt.

Messrs. Otto Hamilton and J. E. Raney, and Miss Annie Rouse, the former two of the city and latter of near Lone Oak, figured in a buggy smashup Saturday night on the Broadway road between the city and Wallace park.

The two young men were driving home from the country and the

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young lady was driving with a companion to her home at Lone Oak. It appeared that a race was being run between the young lady's escort and another young man who was driving out Broadway. The two out-going horses were being driven rapidly and before the incoming young gentleman could get into the clear and off the road, the buggies collided.

The vehicles were pretty badly smashed up, but the occupants were not injured except a slight bruising. The horses also escaped with slight scratches.

Miss Rouse's buggy was left on the roadside, being too badly wrecked to use. Mr. Hamilton's buggy did not suffer so badly and was in good enough condition to bring them to the city.

Engraved script cards \$1.25, Old English \$3.00 during January at The Sun office.

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Laxative Bromo Quinine
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Children suffer in their early years—Can't control the kidney secretions.

Girls are languid, nervous, suffer pain.

Women worry, can't do daily work Robust men have lame and aching backs.

Old folks, weak, rheumatic, lame, Endure distressing urinary ills. The cure for man, for woman, for child

Is to cure the cause—the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys—

Cure all the varied forms of kidney suffering.

Paducah testimony guarantees every box.

J. A. Houser, of 1420 South Ninth street, carpenter, says: "I have been subject to kidney complaint all my life; not constantly or seriously, but every now and then—sometimes without warning—I have attacks some of which laid me up. I noticed that the contraction of a cold always effected my kidneys and when in this condition, in addition to backache, there was trouble with the kidney secretions. Like I had tried more than one preparation I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Alvey & List's drug store and took them. The last attack disappeared. So pleased was I with the result that I gave Doan's Kidney Pills to a child of mine annoyed with weak kidneys. The results obtained stamp Doan's Kidney Pills as being up to representations."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Notice.

Fairbanks, Morse & Co. vs. Gasoline Boat White Oak, in admiralty: Whereas, A libel was filed in the district court of the United States for the western district of Kentucky, at Paducah, on the 10th day of January, 1906, by Fairbanks, Morse & Co. against the boat White Oak, her engines, tackle, apparel, furniture, etc., alleging in substance that said boat was indebted to them in the sum of \$1,524.52 for supplies, machinery, etc., furnished said boat. That said boat was justly indebted to them in said sum and that same has never been paid, and prayed process against said boat White Oak, her engines, tackle, apparel, furniture, etc., and said boat be condemned and sold to pay said claim with all cost and expenses.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the monition under seal of said court to me directed I do hereby give public notice to all persons claiming the said boat White Oak, or in any manner interested therein, that they be and appear in the district court of the United States in the city of Paducah, Ky., on or before the 5th day of March, 1906, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to interpose their claims and to make their allegations in that behalf.

GEO. W. LONG, U. S. M. W. K. D.

By GEO. W. SAUNDERS, Deputy.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

If your horse, cow, mule, hog or dog dies, notify us and we will move it free of charge. We also carry an assortment of horses and mules for sale or exchange, broke or unbroke. We buy and sell western horses. Office and sale stable 325 North Third street. Old phone 454-r. Gent & Elliott, Paducah, Ky.

HAY, HAY!

Timothy, clover, pea-hay, baled wheat straw. NOBLE & YEISER.

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CORPSE IDENTIFIED AS NASHVILLE WOMAN

Her Husband and Sister Readily Recognized Clothing.

Everything Points to a Foul Murder for the Purpose of Robbery—No Clue.

SHE HAD \$3,000 IN VALUABLES

Cairo, Ill., Jan. 29.—The body of the woman discovered in the river here last Thursday has been identified as that of Mrs. J. O. Mangrum, of Nashville, Tenn.

J. O. Mangrum, the husband of the deceased, of Nashville, and Mrs. Logan Trousdale, the sister, of Birmingham, Ala., arrived yesterday and immediately went to the morgue where the clothing of the unfortunate young woman was at once recognized although no marks of identification on the body could be found.

All the theories advanced upon the case, however vague and indiscriminate they may be, are based upon the one primary explanation—foul play. In fact there seems to be no doubt in the minds of the many who have become acquainted with the case, through the search for the missing woman, but that she was foully and premeditatedly murdered.

The Nashville city detective department has been called upon to work out the mystery of her death the theory upon which they are working being that she was murdered before she left Nashville for her money, \$1,200 and jewels worth \$1,500. When she left home the money was in her stocking, the supporter of which was cut and the stocking pulled down. The other stocking supporter was intact. Four diamond rings and one ruby had been on Mrs. Mangrum's left hand, the glove to which as well as the rings was gone when the body was found in the river. As in the case of the stockings the right hand was still covered by the glove. The circumstances are taken to indicate unmistakably robbery. Mrs. Mangrum's relatives have been unable to find that she bought a sleeping car ticket and railroad employees do not recall having seen her on the train on the night of December 14, when she was due to have left for either St. Louis or Chicago.

Dr. James McManus, the coroner, stated it as his opinion that all life was extinct before the body was thrown into the river. He also believes that chloroform was the medium by which Mrs. Mangrum came to her death.

A body may be preserved indefinitely in water at this time of the year owing to the low temperature. It will not rise until the gases form and until it does come to the surface will hardly move from its original position. The time usually set is from ten to thirty days, sometimes longer.

Allowing this length of time (30 days) it would leave a period of twelve days to pass before the body reached Cairo.

The motive, the \$3,000, is plainly apparent, but who the parties to the crime may be—he, she, or they, yet remains to be discovered.

The husband and the sister, while here stopped at the Hotel Illinois, where in an interview with a representative of The Bulletin, the sister said: "There is no doubt but that this is the body of our dear Rosa. We recognized the clothes the minute we saw them. They were the same she wore when last seen." "I firmly believe," she said, "that my sister has been most foully murdered." As to her plans for the future, Mrs. Trousdale would say but little.

The body was sealed in a copper-lined casket and shipped to Nashville on Illinois Central train No. 5 yesterday afternoon, the bereaved relatives accompanying.

UNTIL MARCH.

Police Commissioner Sutherland Will Remain in California.

Mr. R. R. Sutherland, fire and police commissioner, will remain in California until March.

Relatives received a letter from him Saturday, accompanied by his passes, requesting an extension of passes to enable him to remain longer in that state. Commissioner Sutherland took his daughter, Miss Claude Sutherland, to California for her health, and writes that she is gaining flesh and in good health. Miss Sutherland will not return with her father.

Death of a Child.

The infant of Charles R. Crockett, at 627 South Fourth street, died yesterday and was buried in the afternoon at Oak Grove.

You will never tire of Mrs Austin's Pancakes. A fresh supply now on hand at your grocers.

JUDGE E. BARRY'S NEW ELECTION BILL

Benton Editor to Offer One in House This Week.

A Bill Introduced to Take Power of Fixing Penalty Out of the Jury's Hands.

COMING REPORTS ON CONTESTS.

Frankfort, Ky. Jan. 29.—Judge E. Barry, of Benton, representing the Lyon-Marshall district, will offer his "pet" measure to the house this week. It is a new election law, which looks toward making elections cleaner and the elimination of all fraud through the use of money, or the promise of office. Judge Barry says he has been working on his bill for several months and has rewritten it several times, in order to get it just to his fancy. It will provide that within ten days after an election each candidate shall file a full schedule of the amount of his expenses during the campaign, stating the exact purpose for which money was expended. The bill will provide that failure to properly certify such amounts, etc., shall constitute a felony. It is also provided that no promises of offices or emoluments of any kind whatever may be made by a candidate before his election.

Judge Barry has given little attention to the bill offered by the Louisville Bar Association, as it does not conflict with his measure. He believes that when all the election bills go into the committee, that it can probably effect a sort of a compromise which shall contain the salient features of each and be acceptable to all.

Representative Croan, who is known as "Ed, the dog tax man," has polled the house, and says his bill will pass without any trouble. It is likely that when the bill comes up this week an amendment will be offered, allowing counties to say, by vote, whether they choose to be governed by the law, putting the tax in the same class as local option.

Mr. Halbert has introduced a bill taking out of the jury's hands the power to fix penalty for violation of criminal laws. Under the provisions of his bill the jury may only decide upon the guilt or innocence of the defendant.

Coming Contest Reports.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 29.—There is every indication that the contest committees having in charge the contest of George Dailey against Thomas Drewry, and Lee Bernheim against Emmett Slattery, will bring in reports declaring void the election held in these two districts. A member of the Dailey-Drewry committee is quoted as saying that every precinct so far reached by the committee has been thrown out. An effort was made to ascertain the number of precincts canvassed, but this could not be learned.

There is reason to believe that Slattery will be unseated and the members of the house of representatives from Louisville are much alarmed.

It is believed now that the house will unseat Representative Taggart, of Muhlenburg county, a republican, and give the seat to Dr. T. J. Slaton, democrat. It is learned that George Stone, of Webster county, will bring in a minority report against Representative Hannah, of Greenup county, whose seat is being contested by Judge Cole democrat. The chances are, however, that Hannah will be seated, as many democrats put no faith in the claims of his opponent.

The Texas Wonder

Cures all kidney, bladder and rheumatic troubles; sold by J. H. Oehlschlaeger, 601 Broadway, Dr. E. W. Hall, 2226 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo.

Signs Municipal Ownership Ordinance

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Mayor Dunne stated today that he had signed the municipal ownership measure recently passed by the council and expected municipalization of the car lines to be realized before his present term expired.

The public would never hear about some of the theatrical stars if it weren't for the tooth powder advertisements.

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To the Scotchmen of America

THERE is an article in MUNSEY'S MAGAZINE of great value to you—an article you can not afford not to read. It is on THE SONS OF SCOTLAND IN AMERICA, and is a romance of Scottish brains and Scottish pluck and Scottish achievement. It shows the constructive genius of the race, and the tireless energy and fighting qualities of the race.

The Scots, like the English and the Irish and the Dutch, were basic in our civilization. Five Scotchmen were among the signers of the Declaration of Independence, and of the four members of George Washington's original cabinet, three were of Scotch blood—Alexander Hamilton, Knox, and Randolph. Eight of our Presidents have been of Scottish or Scotch-Irish blood.

A Great Series of Race Articles

This is the second paper in a series of race articles now appearing each month in MUNSEY'S MAGAZINE. The first was on THE JEWS IN AMERICA. The third will be THE GERMANS IN AMERICA. Then follow THE IRISH, THE ENGLISH, THE FRENCH, THE DUTCH, THE CANADIANS, THE SCANDINAVIANS, THE ITALIANS, and finally THE AMERICANS IN AMERICA.

This is a great series of articles which should be read by every one who is of the blood discussed, and every one of any blood at all who is enough of an American to wish to know who is who and what is what. This article on the Scots in America appears in

Munsey's Magazine For February

Illustrated with 18 portraits of leading Scots in America

It was the romantic Paul Jones, a Scotchman, who founded our navy. It was a Scotchman who founded Princeton University. It was a Scotchman, James Gordon Bennett, who gave us our modern American journalism. And it was Andrew Carnegie, a Scotchman, who first organized our steel industry upon its present colossal scale, and who, beginning his career as a messenger-boy in Pittsburgh, became in a short span of life the greatest ironmaster of the world and the second richest man in the world.

The February MUNSEY is one of the finest and most finished numbers in all that goes to make a high-grade magazine that we have ever issued. In the dignity and quality of its contents, in its press-work, including color printing, and in the excellence of the paper on which it is printed, there is no better magazine of the month at any price—none better anywhere.

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KENTUCKY NEWSLETS

Gasoline Boat Blew Up.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 29.—The boiler of the gasoline boat "Little Willie," owned by several New Albany gentlemen, blew up forty miles below here. The boat caught fire and burned to the water's edge. The loss is \$3,000. Henry McAdams, the engineer, was severely burned.

Death at Central City.

Central City, Ky., Jan. 29.—The community was shocked by the sudden death of Charles Wolcott, the 17-year-old son of James Wolcott, the banker and merchant of South Carrollton. While on his way to Sunday School he became violently ill, as the result of a severe chill, and returning to his home pneumonia quickly developed in both lungs and he died.

Street Car Franchise Sold.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 29.—A franchise for an electric street railway and lighting plant in this city was sold to H. M. Dalton for \$1 and the cost of advertising the sale. The purchaser will give a bond of \$3,000 as a guarantee of good faith, and work is to begin on the system within ninety days and five miles of track must be completed and in actual operation within one year.

Fire at Central City.

Central City, Ky., Jan. 29.—Children playing with fire at Cleaton, three miles distant from here, on the L. & N. railroad, started a fire in the dwelling of Robert F. Shelton. Among those who hurried to the assistance of Mr. Shelton in removing his household goods was one of his neighbors, Sundley Glenn, who was overcome by the smoke and, falling in the kitchen, was almost asphyxiated before discovered.

Old Soldier Found Dead.

Central City, Ky., Jan. 29.—John Evert was found dead in bed at his home on Second street. He had not been well but he had not been confined to his bed, and had retired in his usual good health. When the family called him for breakfast he failed to answer, and on investigating they found him dead. The verdict of the coroner's jury was that his death was caused from paralysis and old age, he being eighty-two years old. He was an old soldier.

Constable Shoots Negro.

Kuttawa, Ky., Jan. 29.—Luther Parker, colored, was shot five times here Saturday evening by Constable J. W. Cummins. Parker had failed to work a road and was fined. Refusing to pay the fine, the constable started with him to Eddyville to lodge him in jail. On the way, and before they got out of town, Parker refused to go further and is said to have drawn a knife. Cummins emptied his revolver, striking his victim five times, one ball breaking his leg

above the knee, another entering the hip, one in the arm and two in the left shoulder. Parker was taken home and is in a critical condition.

Hopkinsville County Officers.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 29.—At a meeting of the fiscal court a majority of the members of which are Democrats, orders were made electing the following Democrats: W. J. Mur-

phy, road supervisor, vice D. T. Cranford; S. T. Myers, poor house keeper, vice Henry Myers; J. G. Childress, delinquent tax collector, vice Mack Denton; Dr. F. H. Thomas, county physician, vice Andrew Sargent; J. C. Hoard, trustee of pool fund, vice W. Witty.

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Personally appeared before me, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of December, 1905, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires January 2, 1908.

Daily Thought.

"Cultivate a spirit of gratitude for daily services."

PADUCAH'S HUMANE SOCIETY.

Paducah has a humane society, a fine thing for any city, if it is active and does the work for which it is intended. It would require a great deal of space to enumerate the manifold ways in which dumb animals are mistreated in Paducah, but everyone who has occasion to get out of doors is impressed with the cruel treatment accorded horses, dogs and other animals, and mostly by those who depend on these same patient, loyal beasts for a living.

It will be well, however, for the new organization to fully understand what will be required of it, to accomplish anything along the lines marked out for it. The members must themselves prevent cruelty to animals. There are now laws enough to give any beast protection, but they are not enforced. It is the duty of a humane society to see that they are enforced. A police officer cannot arrest a man for mistreating his horse unless he, the officer, sees it himself, or has a warrant. If he does not see it, the person or persons who do, must swear out the warrant. It is not sufficient to simply notify an officer of the law that the law has been violated. It takes something more substantial for him to proceed. The witness to any kind of an offense can be made to appear before the authorities and furnish information necessary for the issuance of a warrant.

In this way the humane society, if it use the proper tact and energy can soon break up the cruel practices so often seen in Paducah, especially on the levee. If a member of the society sees a horse or dog being mistreated, it is his or her duty to have a warrant issued; if he or she learns that someone else has witnessed a violation, it is his or her duty to see that this other person furnishes the information voluntarily or by compulsion, necessary to have a warrant issued. And this is not all. Witnesses must appear in court and testify at the proper time, or else the prosecutions will become a farce, and violations will be as numerous as before. A few convictions on the other hand, will have the desired effect, and the work accomplished will be well worth the trouble and inconvenience.

RATE REGULATION TO BE PUSHED.

The union of republicans and democrats in the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce in favor of the Hepburn railway rate-regulation bill is a happy augury, says the Globe-Democrat. It means the passage of that measure through the house by a practically unanimous vote. No opposition to it of any consequence is looked for in that chamber. John Sharp Williams, the democratic leader of the house, is understood to be as ardently in favor of it as its author, William P. Hepburn. Seldom are the democrats and republicans all lined up in favor of any measure, but they apparently are in this case.

This bill seems to meet all demands in the way of giving the government the needed control over maximum railway rates. The work of supervision will be in the hands of the interstate commerce commission, and the idea is to give that body, on complaint of any shipper, the power to establish a "just, reasonable and fairly remunerative maximum rate." The commission's maximum rate shall go into operation thirty days after it gives its order to the railways in that connection. An appeal by the railways is open to the courts if they consider that the commission does them injustice.

Dolliver's bill, which is before the senate, is practically on the same lines as the Hepburn measure. Both have the president's support. It is to be presumed that he will use some influence in the senate in favor of this measure. When the bill goes to the senate with the virtually unanimous vote of the house behind it, the senate will find it difficult to evade the issue which is presented. It is understood that other bills have more of the senate's favor than Dolliver's measure commands, but the principle of that bill, when it comes from the house in the Hepburn measure, will have a big force behind it. The bill will be exhaustively debated in the senate. Foraker and a few other republicans will oppose it. But the number of democrats who will vote for it is likely to be much greater. Railway rate regulation on same lines has an excellent chance for enactment in the present session of congress.

COSTS MONEY TO GO IN FAST COMPANY.

The Owensboro Messenger views with alarm the suggestion that its thrifty town be moved up into the group of second-class cities, and remarks:

Upon a tax rate of \$1.70 Lexington last year raised and spent \$323,795 in her city government, and the claim is made that the rate will have to be increased this year. Does Owensboro really want to get into that company? We rather think not.

We wonder what Editor Woodson will say when he learns that the apportionment for Lexington's 1905 expenses has been fixed at \$456,024, a raise of \$133,000 over the figures which gave him a shock. There is nothing small about Lexington finances except the cash value at the end of the year.—Lexington Leader.

Yes, anxious inquirer, if the city were to put in the best possible electrical machinery, hire the best and most competent men, and make necessary changes and extensions in its light plant, the city could furnish itself with as good and as cheap lights as anyone else can do it. But the city hasn't done it, despite the fact that she has had ten or twelve years to start the good work. The city hasn't the money to do it now, and there is no reason to believe that the city could do it any easier next year, or the year after. The city could do a lot of things, were it not for that "if." The difference between the city putting in the necessary machinery, and furnishing the kind of lights needed, and a private corporation doing it, is that the city hasn't the money and the corporation has.

The Livingston Democrat says: "What we want to see two years hence is Hon. Ollie M. James governor of the good old state of Kentucky and Hon. John L. Grayot congressman from the old Gibraltar district. These are our boys, and if they live the man or set of men who oppose either, should they decide to make these races, will have no smooth sailing. Ollie M. James, the big congressman, the Kentuckian, that he is the orator that he is and the democrat that he is, could make Kentucky an ideal chief executive. John L. Grayot, Livingston county's favorite son, brainy and eloquent, would add more to the already famous First district in the lower house of congress."

What silly ideas are frequently evolved by some of our public servants! Here we are told that an expert is going to be employed to inspect the street roller boiler and ascertain if running the roller to furnish heat for Riverside hospital when the heating plant gave down recently damaged it any, so "the hospital board may be asked to pay the costs." Suppose the hospital board does? What will be the difference? It all comes out of the city treasury anyhow. The only apparent advantage in having this inspection made is to furnish an excuse for paying the "expert" for making the examination.

Evansville has a new wrinkle in street sprinkling. The Journal-News says: "The scheme is to drop a quantity of westrumite, a chemical compound, into the water, to be spread upon the street. The result, it is claimed, will be remarkable in many ways. According to the claims of the representative, this solution of liquid and westrumite will make the body hard and elastic, will penetrate into the street, rendering it watertight, and will absorb any water that may accumulate in small holes and prevent the surface from freezing."

Here's the kind of supervisors of the tax books to have: Lexington Herald, "members of the board of supervisors who have fixed the valuation of the land in Lexington and Fayette county for assessment have increased the assessment on their own property and property in which they are interested a total of \$164,360. Three members of the board of supervisors, who own property in Lexington, will pay the same taxes as last year, but six members will have to pay large additional taxes."

KENTUCKY FOR THE FIRST TIME TO HONOR LINCOLN'S MEMORY.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 29.—

For the first time in her history Kentucky is preparing to honor the memory of Abraham Lincoln, who was born within her borders, and who married a Kentucky girl. Representative A. L. Denny, Republican, introduced a joint resolution in the house to observe February 12 as Lincoln's birthday. The resolution was unanimously adopted by both houses, and the presiding officers of the two houses announced committees to have charge of the services. Lieut. Gov. Thorne named on the senate committee Senators Burnam, Ward and Campbell, and Speaker Lawrence named on the house committee Messrs. Denny, Alverson and Campbell.

The committee will meet today and extend a formal invitation to Gov. Beckham and Chief Justice J. P. Hobson to deliver the principal addresses. They have already informally agreed to do so.

Representative Taylor Gabbard has introduced a bill in the house to make Lincoln's birthday a legal holiday in Kentucky, which is almost assured of becoming a law.

BUCKHAM SOLD

THE LITTLE TOWNSHIP WILL BE TAKEN TO CHATTANOOGA.

Purchased By Capt. Ham to Be Used in Government Dam Work.

A deal was closed today, it is understood in river circles, for the steamer J. F. Buckham. Capt. Ham, of Mobile, Ala., has purchased her from Capt. Herndon, of Caseyville, consideration private.

Capt. Ham has secured a contract for considerable government dam work below Chattanooga, on the upper Tennessee river, and needs the boat in the work.

A peculiar thing in connection with the deal is that ten barges that are to be used in the work are now on their way from Mobile. They were towed around to New Orleans, and are being brought up the Mississippi by the combine steamer Wood. At Paducah the barges will be taken in tow by the Buckham and towed to Chattanooga. It is said that the cost of towing them from Mobile to Chattanooga will be greater than it would have cost to build them new at Chattanooga.

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Pa—I don't see how you can expect me to consent to your engagement with Mr. Blinks. I hear that his uncle has cut him out of his will.

Daddy—Yes, I know, dad. But Freddie says it won't make any difference if he can only get his uncle to go on playing bridge with him a few weeks longer.

A Good Example.



Toy Soldier—No chance for advancement nowadays!
Jack-in-box—Oh, I don't know! My own rise was rapid.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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TOWNS ARE REPRESENTED AT THE KITTY LEAGUE MEETING.

East St. Louis Said to Be Out of It
—Meeting is Not Yet Over.

St. Louis, Jan. 29.—After a session lasting several hours it was decided last night at the meeting of the Kentucky-Indiana-Tennessee base ball league to drop the franchises held by Princeton, Indiana, and Hopkinsville, Ky. Three towns, East St. Louis, Jacksonville and Mattoon, all in Illinois, were taken under consideration as applicants for the two vacancies.

East St. Louis Out of It.
The Sun this afternoon received a telegram that it would be late today before a report of what is done can be secured, as the meeting is still in progress.

A telegram was received as follows at 3 p. m.:
"Only five towns represented. East St. Louis seems to be out of it. Alton or Mattoon only chances left."
(Signed:) A. S. THOMPSON."

Nothing Definite Done.

It is announced that nothing definite has been done in regard to signing the leatherworkers' annual contracts with proprietors. Michael Bros. signed some time ago, and the Paducah Saddlery company, it is announced, has signed conditionally. It

is understood that the leatherworkers' union will not sanction any more open shops in Paducah, and that local houses will have to work all union men hereafter or all non-union men. It is expected that a meeting will be held by the union not later than tomorrow night to take final action.

To Organize Life Insurance Co.
A movement is on foot in the city to organize, with local capital, an insurance company to do a life, accident and sick benefit business. The name of the company will be the Southern Life and Casualty Co., and articles of incorporation and the details of the organization will be completed this week.

A "Black Cabinet" Organized.
Berlin, Jan. 29.—Prominent members of the Russian colony here have received information that Premier Witte has established a black cabinet, or secret organization, to watch all members of the imperial duma or assembly. The purpose is to ascertain with whom the members associate.

"I see that our friend has taken a hand in politics."
"I am not sure," answered Senator Sorghum, "whether he has taken a hand in it or merely put his foot in it."—Washington Star.

There are no fewer than twenty lofty volcanic peaks clustered about the city of Quito, the capital of Ecuador. One of these, Catopaxi, is the highest active volcano in the world.

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—Dr. J. V. Voris, dentist, 200 Fraternity building.
—Dr. Gilbert, Osteopath, 400 1/2 Broadway. Phone 196.
—Mayfield is to have free delivery and has been allowed two carriers, one substitute, and 9 street letter boxes.
—Engraved cards and plate \$1.25 at The Sun office.
—Sewer Inspector A. Franke, Saturday night, while crossing Broadway near First street, fell and cut a painful gash in his head on the curb. It is not serious.
—Sign and carriage painting. G. R. Sexton, both phones, 401.
—The funeral of the late Fayette Gardner, who died suddenly at Mayfield Saturday, took place there yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. A. S. Pettie officiating.
—Carbon paper, typewriter paper and typewriter ribbons—the very best at the lowest prices at R. D. Clements & Co.
—Mary Callie Rhinehart has filed suit against Joe Rhinehart in circuit court here asking for divorce and restoration to her maiden name Mary Callie Wright, because her husband deserted her May 3, 1904. She does not know where he is now.
—We desire to inform all of having bought the business of Mr. Ashbrook and hope for a continuance of the liberal patronage accorded him, guaranteeing all satisfaction and appreciation. Abram L. Weil & Co.
—John Hall, of Lexington, Ky., boarding at 219 North Sixth street, was thrown down while trying to board a street car at Sixth and Adams streets, and had an ankle sprained late Saturday.
—Call Palmer Transfer Co. for carriages, baggage wagons and first-class lively rigs. Hack fares and trunks strictly cash. Best service in the city.
—Mr. J. W. Lockwood has completed his contract on the Murrell flats and turned the building over to the owner.
—The Furnishing Society of the

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People and Pleasant Events

Matinee Musical Club Program.
The Matinee Musical club will hold its regular meeting, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the parlors of the Eagle club on Broadway. The subject is miscellaneous. Mrs. John W. Little and Miss Virginia Newell are the leaders. The program will be:
Musical Events—Mrs. John Little, leader.
Concerning Music in America—Miss Newell.
Bishop (English, 1786-1856) "The Bloom is on the Rye."—Mrs. Dennis Mocoquot, Mrs. Geo. B. Hart, Miss Anne Bradshaw, Mrs. Jas. Weille.
a. Koevessy (Hungary, 1867) "I know not why."
b. Bartlett (America 1846) "The Wind is Awake."—Mrs. David I. Lewis.
Wolff (Germany, 1816) "Fantasia"—Mrs. Geo. B. Hart.
Rowe (America)—"Love's Sorrow."—Mr. Edwin Paxton.
Edward Grieg (Norway, 1843). Mr. Harry Gilbert.
a. S. G. Pratt (America, 1847) "Aufwiedersehn" b. Selected—Mrs. James Weille.

Wedding Banns Announced.

The marriage banns of Mr. Frank Burrows and Miss Floy Butze, the former of the city and latter of Golconda, were announced in the St. Francis de Sales church yesterday morning.
Mr. Burrows is the son of Mr. Hugh Burrows, the well known shoe maker, and is employed in the wholesale whisky house of H. Weil & Sons. He is a well known and popular young man, being associated with some of the best musical organizations in the city. His bride-to-be lives in Golconda, but has been an attaché here of the Mrs. Cora Williams Clark millinery store for the past two or three years. She is an attractive and popular young lady and daughter of a prominent contractor of Golconda.
The date of the wedding has not been set, but will be performed about the 15th of next month at the residence of Father Jansen, on South Sixth street.

Delphic Club Reception.

The Delphic club will have a social evening in the club room at the Carnegie library tonight. A limited number of guests have been invited and the occasion promises to be an especially delightful one.
An informal program will be rendered, beginning promptly at 8 o'clock, and as this is an attractive feature of the evening, attention is called to the hour so no one may miss it.

Charity Club Meeting.

The Charity club will meet on Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Palmer house. The members are requested all to be present.
Mr. Cecil Lacy left last night for New York city to take a course in art. Miss Frances Coleman left today for a visit to Puryear, Tenn.

Mrs. Willis Morgan, of 513 North Tenth street, and daughter, Mrs. H. B. Sanders, of the Mayfield road, are visiting relatives and friends in Martin, Tenn.

Miss Lizzie Dallam, of Mayfield, is expected in the city tomorrow to visit Miss May Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Webb, of Mayfield, are at the Palmer.

Joe Blum, of Nashville, is at the Lagomarsino.

A. S. Hollowell and four children have returned from Los Angeles, Cal., and will live in Paducah again. Mr. Hollowell and family went to California to live in September, but decided to return to their old home.

Mrs. Roy Gholson and Miss Ruby Simpson, of Barlow, are visiting Mrs. James, of Tennessee street.

Mrs. W. R. Dunn, of Wingo, and Mrs. Ora Layne, of Cairo, are visiting here.

The Misses Shelton are visiting Miss Rosaline McGown, of Golconda. Mrs. John Nichols and son, of Bardwell, have returned home after visiting Mrs. Charles Smedley.

Miss Robbie Smith, of Golconda, Ill., is visiting Mrs. Charles Kiger. Pilot John Winfrey left on the Kit arson as pilot for Florence, Ala.

Mrs. John Hall, of Grahamville, has returned home after visiting her brother, Mr. James Lane, the clothier of South Tenth street.

Attorney William Marble went to Princeton, Ky., this morning on professional business.

Mr. L. P. Holland, general manager of the local branch of the Ayer & Lord Tie Co., this morning went to Leitchfield. He will go up Green river on an inspection trip before his return to the city.

Attorney G. C. Diuguid went to Princeton this morning on business.

Attorney Frank Lucas returned from Wingo this morning.

Mrs. L. A. Washington and children have returned from Henderson where they had been on a brief visit to friends and relatives.

IN THE COURTS

Circuit Court.

Circuit Judge William Reed held a brief session of circuit court this morning, adjourning about 10 o'clock.

The order overruling the demurrer to the petition in the case of J. F. Nicholson against the Southern Mutual Investment company was set aside and the demurrer sustained. The plaintiff was given leave to amend the petition.

The case of Sam Given against Mrs. Minnie Gridley and others was transferred to the equity docket. Judge Tom Crice is special judge in this case.

The case of E. R. Miller against C. V. Ezell was continued.

L. B. Durrett and A. J. Earles were excused as petit jurors and W. T. McCutcheon and H. Wallerstein substituted.

J. Milton Mills was appointed guardian of John Craig Mills today. George H. Mills was this morning appointed guardian of James K. and Edward Mills.

County Court.

John Farley and Miss Kate Nune-macher today qualified as notary public.

Deeds.

Mark Smith and others to C. M. Ross and others, for \$100, property in the county.

Cecil Reed, M. C., to C. H. Nance, for \$10 and other considerations, property in the county.

W. A. Gardner to C. C. Thompson, for \$250, property in the county.

Louisa Rampendahl, for \$1 and other consideration, property in the county.

To Settle Estate.

F. G. Rudolph, administrator of Mary Jane Thompson, has filed a suit against Bertie Wilbur and other heirs for a settlement of the estate of the late Mrs. Thompson.

Discharge in Bankruptcy.

The following discharges in bankruptcy have been received here by Federal Clerk J. R. Puryear:

Milton B. Holton, of Murray; Philip G. Winn and George L. Gray, of the city. The latter two cases were ordered closed.

Police Court.

Judge D. L. Sanders opened up a new police court docket this morning. His docket was very small for Monday.

Mrs. Charles Averitt, white, was fined \$20 and costs for running a disorderly house, but the fine was suspended and a new trial granted.

The remainder of the cases were of minor importance, and were as follows:

Everett Nelens, Charles Hagerty, white, drunkenness, \$1 and costs each; Leonard Jones, white, drunk and disorderly, \$10 and costs; Rosa Skelton, Arthur Wade, colored, breach of the peace, continued until February 5th; Charles Grosshart, \$3 and costs and James Doolin, white, dismissed, charged with a breach of the peace; Pearl Plant, colored, breach of the peace, \$10 and costs.

Suit On Balance.

W. A. Davis, through attorneys, filed a suit in circuit court today against W. J. McFaul, for an alleged debt of \$450. It is alleged in the petition that this amount was advanced him over and above bills for lumber bought by plaintiff from defendant. He asks for an attachment.

Justice Emery's Court.

A. Sydney Miller, a farmer of the lower part of the county, was arrested this morning by Deputy Sheriff R. Clark Fortson on a warrant charging selling mortgaged property to Clay Skinner. He gave bond and will be tried on the 31st before Justice Emery.

Justice Chas. Emery is this afternoon trying an attachment suit of Jake Biederman Grocery Co. against Jesse Ward for an alleged debt of \$20.

HAY, HAY!

Timothy, clover, pea-hay, baled wheat straw. NOBLE & YEISER.

Miss Mamie Baynham returned from Mayfield this morning after a brief visit to relatives.

Mrs. Robert Rivers has returned from a visit to Smithland.

Patrolman James W. Clark continues to improve, and his physicians think he will be out on crutches in about ten days.

Miss Nettie Long, of Mayfield, passed through the city yesterday en route home after a visit in St. Louis.

Mrs. George Johnson went to Mayfield last night to visit.

Dr. W. C. Eubanks returned from Stanford, Ky., yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Billy Smith, wife of the well known steamboat pilot, has gone to St. Louis to visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jenkins, of Paducah, Ky., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Breeze, of 2208 Sycamore street.—Cairo Bulletin.

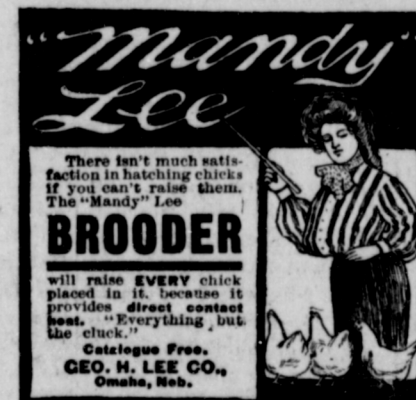
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ROOMS for rent. Modern conveniences. At 427 Clark street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 304 N. Sixth. Old phone 1114.

WANTED—Boarders. Apply at 1032 Broadway.

HEATING and stovewood, Frank Levin, both phones, 437.

UMBRELLA repairing and covering neatly done, 108 1/2 S. Third St.

GOOD HEATING WOOD phone Sander Brooks. Phone 1347-m, old.

WANTED—A good cook. Apply at 705 Kentucky avenue.

FOR SALE—Good, young, medium size horse. Apply to Jno. Dipple, care Rhodes-Burford.

FOR RENT—Cottage, 431 South Sixth street, Modern conveniences. Apply 438 South Sixth.

FOR SALE—12 chairs, 3 bedsteads, 2 washstands, 1 ice box. Mrs. Barbara Dicke, phone 1724.

WANTED—Position by experienced clerk. A. F. Milburn, phone 2217 old.

WANTED—Colored girl 14 to 16 years, to help in light housework. 512 S. Sixth St.

CALL AT Harrell's grocery and get your groceries cheap for cash, 128 S. Second St. Old phone 1155-a.

FOR RENT—5-room house, 626 North Sixth St. Apply 319 North Sixth for information.

FOR RENT—Cottage, 814 Kentucky avenue. Phone 1856. S. W. Arnold.

FOR RENT—Office suitable for doctor. Third and Tennessee streets. Phone 222.

WANTED—50 girls; steady employment. Paducah Box and Basket Co.

WANTED—Position as stenographer by young lady. Address this office, X.

CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS—Black Locust and Mulberry posts at sawed post prices, delivered to any point in city. Send order to Sun office or A. J. Atchison.

WANTED—Energetic lady, with business ability, short hours, pleasant work, good salary. Address E. A. Erick, general delivery.

FOR SALE—Spring wagons and buggies comparatively new, at bargain price. Sexton's Sign Works, 16th and Madison. Old phone 401.

NOTICE TO FARMERS—All farmers who intend to raise Tomatoes for the Paducah Packing Co. should call at the Factory on Jan. 30 or 31.

J. E. MORGAN, blacksmith, 409 S. Third. Old phone 457. Superior work guaranteed. Exclusive agent for floor stone side wire tires, the best rubber tire made.

LOST—Plain gold necklace with heart attached, between the opera house and Third and Ohio streets. Finder return to 708 S. Third and receive reward.

WANTED—Young man; one who has had some experience soliciting among farmers. \$75 to \$100 per month clear. One who owns horse and buggy preferred. Wm. Breast, Hotel Craig.

FOR RENT—The Inn, on North Seventh street, with all modern conveniences. A first-class boarding house or rooms will be rented, one or more, to suit the renter. Apply Dr. J. G. Brooks.

WANTED—A man of good address for permanent position, with large manufacturing company; good salary; opportunity for advancement; in close self-addressed and stamped envelope. Address E. A. Erick, general delivery city.

ESTRAY NOTICE—Taken up as an estray by Mary J. Thompson, living on the Paducah and Blandville road six miles west of Paducah, one cow, dark brindle, good size, about seven or eight years old. No marks or brands perceptible. Been on premises two weeks. Appraised at \$12 by W. L. Thompson. Sworn to by W. L. Thompson this Jan. 29, 1906. F. F. Gholson, J. P. M. C.

Modern Woodmen of America. Adjourned meeting Camp No. 11313 tonight at regular meeting place. Important business and adoption of candidates. Full attendance requested.

Gobang—Did you enjoy the ocean trip?

Ukerdek—Not much. I missed the train boy and his little boxes of figs.—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

"Is your husband even-tempered?" "Yes," answered Mrs. Wurryd. "He's just about as irritable one day as another."

Engraved script cards \$1.25, Old English \$3.00 during January at The Sun office.

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FOR RENT—Four residences. Two 4 rooms, sewer connections, at \$12.50 and \$15; one 5 rooms and one 7 rooms, both these sewer connected, at \$20 and \$25 month.

FOR SALE—Six room cottage, on S. E. corner 7th and Harrison; lot 57 ft. 9 inches by 165 feet, stable, servants' house, on long easy payments. Only \$500 cash. See me for details and get home in best residence part of North Side.

Nice 9 room N. 5th house in 4 blocks of postoffice on easy payments at \$4,000.

Chance for colored people. Have half dozen houses for sale at prices \$500 to \$1,000 on very easy payments. Small cash and afterwards by the month.

Have 50 foot, Ft. Park lot with shade trees at \$200, part on time. Come and see it, you know 'tis bargain at that price anywhere in park. Clay & Harrison St. lots at \$250, \$25 cash and \$5 month.

14th St. lots, near Trimble at \$250 on small monthly payments. Best offer in Fountain Park is 54 ft. lot on North Side Madison St., between 16th and Ft. Ave at \$500, half on time.

Bargain in Farm.

150 acres, five miles from Paducah on Hinkleyville road at \$3200 on easy payments. Can be divided and resold at \$5,000 to \$6,000. Fine chance which had better see me about.

Now is the time to get small places for country homes. Can sell nice lots from 5 acres up in very desirable location, near electric cars.

Five acres near La Belle park at \$625 on easy payments. Better look into this if you want large place for home where 50-foot lots sell at \$200 and more.

9-room house, 5 blocks from post-office, North Side, sewer connected. In best part of city, at \$3,500, of this only \$500 cash, balance \$30 month.

Nice home on Fountain park, 5 rooms, front hall and back porch shade and 49-foot lot, full depth to alley, at only \$1,550. Bargain.

431 North Fifth street, 7-room, 2-story house, in good fix, at \$3,000. Bargain in Clay street Fountain park vacant lot.

No. 1627 Broadway, modern conveniences, two story eight room residence, which rents to good tenant at \$37.50 month. One of the most substantial and desirable homes in city. Price \$4800, of this \$1000 cash and balance in 1, 2 and 3 years with 6 per cent interest.

Three houses on N. E. corner 6th and Ohio streets which rent at \$33 a month. Price \$2500. Fine investment.

New, nice, 4-room house on 50 ft. lot with shade trees, on south side of Harrison St., between 16th and Fountain avenue, in Fountain Park. Low price and monthly payments. See me to get home easy.

No. 1141 Clay St., new, 5-room brick cottage, water inside, one nicest cottages to be found. Price \$1,800, only \$500 cash balance payments 1, 2 and 3 years.

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1032 North 12th St., 5-room frame cottage with stable, water inside house. Price \$1,200 on easy payments.

N. E. corner 3rd & Tennessee Sts., 85 ft. front on 3rd and full depth lot to alley, storehouse brick, frame 5-room house and vacant space for two more houses, all for \$3,000.

Fountain Park 7-room, new residence, bath and water with sink in kitchen, 50 ft. lot, plenty shade trees, choice home place. Price \$1,650 only \$950 cash and all time wanted on balance. Bargain.

Two houses on one lot, northwest corner Ninth and Ohio streets. Good offer at \$2,100 on very easy payments.

Good four-room residence in Mechanicsburg, joining the Biederman grocery store, price \$850, half cash and as much time as wanted on balance.

Don't forget that I have at all times plenty money to loan on farm mortgages at 6 per cent interest, ten years' time.

New plat of Madison St. lots just west of and adjoining Fountain park, all level and high, and street graded and graveled. Survey just made and plat turned over to me. Come while you can get first choice. Prices \$250 of which \$25 cash and balance on \$5 monthly payments. Location, price and terms considered, these are most desirable lots in Paducah.

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Mrs. Pinkham, daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., invites all sick and ailing women to write her for advice. Her great experience is at their service, free of cost.

HICKMAN'S NEW LAWS

Dogs of Female Persuasion Taxed
Five Dollars a Year.

Hickman, Ky., Jan. 29.—The new city council met and made some new laws for the town. A city tax of \$2 annually was agreed upon as the tax of one dog and \$3 for each additional dog owned by any single individual, and \$5 for dogs of the female persuasion.

The ordinance prohibiting hogs, mules and horses from prowling around the streets is to be rigidly enforced.

A license of \$10 for private boarding houses and \$25 for hotels, exempting those that board teachers and pupils, was imposed.

Bent Her Double.

"I knew no one, for four weeks, when I was sick with typhoid and kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Annie Hunter, of Pittsburgh, Pa., "and when I got better, although I had one of the best doctors I could get, I was bent double, and had to rest my hands on my knees when I walked. From this terrible affliction I was rescued by Electric Bitters, which restored my health and strength, and now I can walk as straight as ever. They are simply wonderful." Guaranteed to cure stomach, liver and kidney disorders; at W. B. McPherson's Drug Store; price 50c.

HAS BEEN DROPPED

No Further Proceedings in Customs
Controversy at Louisville.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 29.—The complaint lodged by Judge Henry Burnett against Acting Appraiser Richardson for alleged discourtesy towards Miss Elizabeth Burnett when she called for a package, sent her from England, and which discourtesy consisted of opening the package, and alleged impoliteness, has been dropped after a conference between Judge Burnett and Collector Barnett. The latter informed Judge Burnett that the law required the package opened, and that the young man was only doing his duty.

Forced to Starve.

B. F. Leek, of Concord, Ky., says: "For twenty years I suffered agonies, with a sore on my upper lip, so painful, sometimes, that I could not eat. After vainly trying everything else, I cured it, with Bucklen's Arnica Salve." It's great for burns, cuts and wounds. At W. B. McPherson's Drug Store; only 25c.

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THE SERVICE GROWS RAPIDLY

Washington dispatches announce that Paducah has been allowed another letter carrier, and while the local postoffice officials have received nothing official to this effect, they are satisfied that the dispatches are correct, and that the carrier mentioned is to be a mounted carrier.

Application was made for a mounted carrier about a month ago, and an inspector came to Paducah and quietly investigated the need of one. Nothing was said of his visit at the time, and he left fully convinced that Paducah greatly needed a carrier of this description, and upon his return to Washington, it is understood, recommended one.

The appointment of a carrier for Paducah is consequently taken to mean that the carrier will be mounted as this is the only kind for which application has been made.

The new carrier will give Paducah twelve local carriers, double the number in service when Postmaster F. M. Fisher took charge of the postoffice, less than eight years ago. The city has grown rapidly and the carriers are needed. The ones who are now in the outskirts, often do not have sufficient time to finish their second delivery, as they are not permitted to work over eight hours a day. Many people have been greatly inconvenienced by their mail having to be taken back to the office until the following day, and have not understood it.

Paducah now has one mounted carrier, Mr. Charles Holliday, who is furnished with a small wagon similar to those used by the rural carriers.

The route of the new carrier will be in the west end somewhere, it not yet having been decided just where. John Hawkins, at present senior substitute, will be the new carrier, and Harvey Shelton will be advanced to senior substitute and be in line for the next regular position. Some one will be selected from the eligible list now containing five names, and will be appointed second substitute.

If the growth of the free delivery service and force is to be taken as any indication, Paducah's progress has been very rapid in recent years. The free delivery service was inaugurated in 1885 with five carriers. In 1898, thirteen years later, there was only one carrier more, the number in Paducah then being six.

In 1906, eight years later, there will be twelve, an increase of fifty per cent in less than eight years.

The new carrier will insure the people in every part of the city, it is claimed, two deliveries a day. Some of the districts are now able to get an average of only one delivery a day.

STRANGE COINCIDENCE.

Steamer Joe Wheeler Sank About the
Time the Veteran Died.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 29.—What might have been interpreted as a premonition of the death of its famous namesake, and what was indeed a strange coincidence, is reported in a letter from Newport, Ark., to Capt. H. O. Brazee, U. S. inspector of steamboat hulls, of this city, which states that the steamer Joe Wheeler was sunk on Jan. 24, about twelve hours before the death in New York of the old war hero after whom it was named.

Another coincidence, which impressed itself upon the people of Newport, was that the steamer was out of service at the time of the disaster, being laid up at the wharf and undergoing repairs, being practically rebuilt, ready to take up a new term of service which was the identical hope of the battle-scarred veteran lying on his deathbed in New York.

This hope was destroyed in the case of the steamer almost without warning for the rapidly rising White river suddenly carried away the craft the other night and it is pronounced a total loss.

The Joe Wheeler was a river boat of 94 tons capacity, and ran on the Tennessee river for some years, being purchased by Capt. George Riddell, of Jacksonport, who afterwards sold it to Capt. W. A. Joyce, the last owner. For the past three or four years the Joe Wheeler has been running on the White river and last fall was laid up to be rebuilt.

When you ask for Mrs. Austin's Pancake flour, insist upon having it and say Mrs. Austin's and no other.

WHAT IT MEANS TO YOU.

Few People Realize the Importance
of Good Digestion Until It
is Lost.

Many people suffer from Dyspepsia and do not know it. They feel mean, out of sorts, peevish, do not sleep well, do not have a good keen appetite, do not have the inclination and energy for physical or mental work they once had, but at the same time do not feel any particular pain or distress in the stomach. Yet all this is the result of poor digestion, an insidious form of Dyspepsia which can only be cured by a remedy specially intended to cure it and make the digestive organs act naturally, and properly digest the food eaten. Bitters, after dinner pills and nerve tonics will never help the trouble; they don't reach it. The new medical discovery does. It is called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and is a specific for dyspepsia and indigestion. It cures because it thoroughly digests all wholesome food taken into the stomach, whether the stomach is in good working order or not.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, by digesting the food, instead of making the worn out stomach do all the work, gives it a much needed rest and a cure of dyspepsia is the natural result.

When you are nervous, run down and sleepless, don't make the common mistake of supposing your nervous system needs treatment and fill your stomach with powerful nerve tonics which make you feel good for a little while only to fall back farther than ever.

Your nerves are all right but they are starved; they want food.

Nourish them with wholesome everyday food and plenty of it, well digested, and you can laugh at nerve tonics and medicines.

But the nerves will not be nourished from a weak, abused stomach, but when the digestion has been made perfect by the use of this remedy all nervous symptoms disappear.

Who ever heard of a man or woman blessed with a vigorous digestion and good appetite being troubled with their nerves?

Good digestion means a strong nervous system, abundance of energy, and capacity to enjoy the good things of life.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will certainly set your stomach and digestive organs right; they can't help but do it because they nourish the body by digesting the food eaten, and rest the stomach.

You get nourishment and rest at one and the same time, and that is all the worn out dyspeptic needs to build him up and give new life to every organ and an added zest to every pleasure.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are a god-send to the army of men and women with weak stomach and nerves and justly merits the claim of being one of the most worthy medical discoveries of the time.

HUMANE SOCIETY

Organized Saturday Night With
Complete Set of Officers.

It was fitting that the organization of a humane society should have been at the home of that inveterate lover of animals and their champion to the day of his death,—the late Capt. Joe Fowler. Saturday night a meeting was held there and quite a crowd of representative people was present.

The officers elected were: W. F. Paxton, president. Rev. D. C. Wright, first vice-president. Jos. L. Friedman, second vice-president.

Cook Husbands, secretary. Richard Rudy, treasurer.

A meeting will be held some time this week to elect a board of directors and adopt a constitution. The directorate will consist of fifteen men and fifteen women, and the rules of the Kentucky Humane Society, of Louisville, will be adopted if they are found not to conflict with the second-class charter.

There is unlimited work here for such a society to do, and the organizers are thoroughly in earnest.

The Diamond Cure.

The latest news from Paris is, that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee, of Vanleer, Tenn. 'I had a cough, for fourteen years. Nothing helped me, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief, and effected a permanent cure.' Unequalled quick cure, for throat and Lung Troubles. At W. B. McPherson's Drug Store; price 50c and \$1, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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Has Been Decided By City Engineer's
Figures.

City Engineer L. A. Washington has completed the figures showing complete cost to the city and the property owners of the reconstruction of South Third street from Kentucky to Fourth and Broad. It is as follows:

To the city—Excavation for street and curb, \$1,981.36; concrete for box culverts at intersections, \$1,025.16; straight concrete curb at intersections, \$217.48; combined curb and gutter for which city pays one-third, \$1,230.74; brick paving, \$30,742.72; concrete sidewalk at intersections, \$523.58; excavations for intersection sidewalks, \$48.13; labor and material in building intake, sewers, etc., \$945.17; steel plates over waterways at intersections, \$1,737.46; engineering expense, including inspectors, \$2,906.86; grand total to city, \$41,552.07.

Cost to property owners—Excavations for streets, curbs and driveways, \$1,527.72; excavations for side walks, \$262.17; stone curbing, \$887.77; stone corner stones, \$138; straight concrete curbing, \$1,095.10; cast iron drain pipe, \$309.80; concrete driveways, \$1,136.28; concrete sidewalks, \$2,623.21; brick paving, \$23,508.26; total cost to property owners, \$34,065.76. This makes a combined cost to city and property owners of \$75,617.83.

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(Continued From Yesterday.)

And I was on the point of jumping up when I heard a new sound opposite, and a figure rose and stood in the pathway. As we strained our eyes



At Sercombe's feet was a prostrate figure, to make out what this might be I heard the approaching feet of the others. Then somewhere out of the night these words floated to us: "Captain Sercombe, I arrest you in the name of the queen."

There was a violent exclamation and the noise of a struggle and afterward a short cry and a horrid crack.

Sheppard and I leaped to our feet and reached the path, where ten paces from the water stood Sercombe and at his feet a prostrate figure.

"What is this?" I said anxiously. "Oh, you there, gentlemen," said Sercombe, putting, "This knave would have ruined our whole venture. But I reckon I've given him his stomach full."

"Yes, you have," I said bitterly, bending over the man. "He's about done for."

"Pooh!" said Sercombe. "Only struck his head on a log. He's all right. Don't waste time over such swine." And he made for the boat, where I could perceive Montgomery.

I stopped him. "Understand this, Captain Sercombe," I said—"I am not here to break innocent heads for 16 inches of lead. I am here to save lives, and if, as you say and I hope, this poor man is not dead, I will have him taken where he can be cared for."

Sercombe laughed harshly. "You are so infernally particular, Mr. Greator. But have your way."

"Very well," said I; "then I will take him over to the house yonder."

We carried the unfortunate man aboard the boat and pushed her off, Montgomery punting to the jetty. There we landed the body. Suddenly Sercombe stopped.

"This is my affair," he said, "not yours. You won't be able to show your faces after this if you're mixed up in it. Besides, I may get definite particulars as to Hood if I go up."

He shouldered the unconscious form of the policeman as he spoke and departed, staggering under his burden. In a little he came back.

"It's all right," he said easily. "I told the farmer that it was a friend of mine who had met with an accident, and he has promised to look after him till I return. I am to call in an hour's time." He laughed. "And I've found out that Hood left half an hour ago, having borrowed the old gentleman's boat. There's some good in charity after all." And once more he laughed.

At the word Montgomery and Sheppard bent to the oars, and the nose of the boat shot downstream.

CHAPTER XXII.

"AND now," said I to Montgomery, "please explain. I think we none of us contemplated a boating expedition. Where are we going?"

"Hood's got on before us, you know," he explained eagerly. "Captain Sercombe and I got away safely and reached this ferry twenty minutes before you, but the boat had gone!"

"You mean Hood's boat?" I asked.

"That's it," Sercombe broke in. "I reckoned we might nab Hood in the act, but we came too late by ten minutes. I recognized the place from his description. For the matter of that, it's easy to find, but there was no boat. That meant we must carry the expedition a stage farther ere we could drop on him. Presently Montgomery and I happened upon this tub a bit lower down. She's no great shakes, but she'll do to come up with him."

"And when we do?" said Sheppard. "I don't want to put too fine a point on it, sir," said Sercombe, "but it means cutting out, and if we are not prepared for cutting out, why, we had best turn the nose of the boat upstream again."

There was silence after this, but Sheppard and Montgomery applied their oars, if anything, a trifle more smartly.

"We're not going to turn back now, if that's your meaning, captain," I said. "We only want to understand where we are and what we have to expect."

"I think, Mr. Greator, that you may expect treasure," said Sercombe, with a laugh. "Hood's got a load aboard, and he's no thought of being followed. What he's after I don't quite

know, for he never got to the end of his explanations, owing to that Greek affair, but he's going down the river, that's certain, and he'll paddle none too quick, having a cargo. On the other hand, he does not want daylight on him. He'll make where he's bound for by night and under the stars. Now, I dare say, you gentlemen know these parts better than I. What point do you put on it?"

"Give him six hours," I suggested, "and that will fetch us into the early morning. Montgomery, how far do you reckon a boat would get by 3 in the morning?"

Montgomery paused on his oar and considered.

"It ought to get near Portagee," said he at last.

"And where may that be?" asked Sercombe.

"In the mouth of the Severn—in the estuary."

"Ah!" said Sercombe thoughtfully. "Now, I wonder what will happen then. And I should like to know what my friend Hood has got in his head."

The sky was heavy with low bellying clouds, and scarce a breath of air stirred. We raced between the banks as it were through a wild moorland, and some scattered voices of the dark reached us. A little after there was a jar and a shock that sent us all sprawling in the bottom of the tub.

Sercombe, who was in the bows, put out his arms.

"It's a boom," he said. "This is a piece of private water."

"We shall have to carry the boat round," said Sheppard.

"Did Hood, do you suppose?" I asked.

"No; I think not," said Sercombe. "I'd like to see the party that would carry that cargo. Yes; you're right. Where Hood's been we can go."

"If he has been," said Sheppard.

Sercombe made no answer, but pulled the boat along the boom.

"It's wood," he said, "and I make no doubt but it's old and tired. Anyhow I think Hood's dingy went through this. I can find no break, though."

"Let us put a pace on the tub and try," I suggested.

Sercombe whistled slowly. "She's not much of a tub, I admit," he said dubiously, "but it's all we've got."

"You are afraid of her splitting up?"

"That's so, but, anyhow, let's risk it. Drive, boys, when I give the word."

We backed out and pulled up the stream, and I set her nose full on.

"Now!" said Sercombe, and the oars struck the water together. With a sighing, groaning noise the tub dipped her snout into the water, and it hummed about her sides.

"Now!" shouted Sercombe again. I leaned forward to the stroke, and in the next second the blow came. She struck and staggered, recoiling and shivering in every beam. But Sercombe, in the bows, who had been almost precipitated into the stream, cried out in triumph:

"She's through; the boom's given somewhere!"

That was true, as we found out immediately, for the current bore the dingy down once more upon the log, and with a rasping noise and a jerking movement she slipped over.

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ten," said Sercombe. "I don't believe our tub would have stood another ounce."

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MITCHELL WAS STUMPED FOR ONCE

President of Mine Workers Met Waterloo.

Operators Agreed to Make a Scale Based on Mitchell's Argument But He Declined.

NO AGREEMENT YET REACHED

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 29.—For the first time in his life, John Mitchell, head of the greatest labor organization in the world, met his Waterloo in a debate with the operators. Francis L. Robbins, the spokesman for the operators in the interstate convention, placed Mitchell in the humiliating position of refusing to accept an offer made by Robbins to make a wage scale on the basis of arguments made by Mitchell himself.

The sensational episode came after a speech made by Mitchell, who had previously presented the demands of the miners to the convention. This was in the afternoon. All morning the miners had considered the proposition of forcing the Southwestern operators and miners into the interstate agreement. The operators had voted against it the day before.

The miners met in executive session today and voted to back down on the proposition. This cleared the way for opening arguments on the wage scale.

President Mitchell read the demands of the miners and began an argument in a general way why an increase of 12½ per cent should be conceded the miners. He stated that every coal trade paper in the United States for months had printed reports that the coal operators were enjoying great prosperity.

"These show," he declared, "that coal has increased in price at least 60 cents a ton."

When he sat down Robbins arose and said:

"If President Mitchell is honest in his statement we can settle the wage scale right here. The operators are willing to open their books and permit the scale to be fixed on what they show. If the books show that your president is telling the truth then we will give you an increase. If they show that the price of coal has decreased we will expect a reduction."

Robbins' statement came like a bombshell. No such coup had been expected. The miners sat silent, awaiting the reply of their chief. For two minutes the latter remained silent. Then Vice-President Lewis arose and endeavored to give President Mitchell a hint as to the proper answer.

"This is a rather broad challenge operators have made," he said. "But we like to know if they intend to present statements here based upon the fictitious or real value of their properties."

As President Mitchell still remained silent Robbins cried out:

"I demand an answer to my offer from President Mitchell."

The latter, who was seated at the speaker's table, arose and said:

"I decline to answer."

This came so unexpectedly that the miners were dumfounded. They expected him to accept the cue of Vice-President Lewis. Then loud murmurings arose all over the great hall. Before there was a chance for a storm Robbins arose and said:

"As your president refuses to accept our offer, which is based upon his own argument, I will proceed to discuss the wage scale he has presented."

Then for half an hour Robbins flayed the miners in a manner never before heard in a convention. He declared that they had presented a demand for an increase in wages as an excuse to avert a reduction. Then he read a statement from the books of the Pittsburgh Coal company which showed that if President Mitchell had accepted his offer the miners would have to submit to a reduction. The company sold coal for 22 cents a ton less in 1904 than in 1903 and last year a further reduction of 9 cents was suffered. He read a report made by Vice-President Lewis to the miners, showing that the operators of Central Pennsylvania who were not members of the interstate agreement were paying less than in the four competitive states and that the miners were working nine hours a day.

Engraved script cards \$1.25, Old English \$3.00 during January at The Sun office.

HAVING HER REVENGE.



He: "Why, there's Mrs. Gotcash in a new gown. Do look!"
She: "No, indeed, I won't. Whenever I have a new gown she either pretends not to notice it or else she asks me if it's the same one I wore last year."

Increase in School Attendance Here Quite Noticeable---General Change Up

The Paducah public school opened this morning with a surprising increase in attendance and Supt. C. M. Lieb was kept busy all day entering new pupils who had waited until the second term to come.

It is remarkable to note that many pupils who have been attending private schools are coming into the public schools. Several were entered this morning, and it is noticeable that the public schools are rapidly coming in favor on account of the excellent standard set. It is impossible to estimate the number of new pupils entered today but it is thought the number will reach fifty in the primary grades.

BANDANA VISITED BY DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

Mercantile Company and Bank Burned---Hotel Damaged.

The Loss Will Not Amount to Over \$7,000---The Bank Loses Nothing.

ORIGIN OF FIRE IS UNKNOWN.

Bandana, Ballard county, twenty miles from Paducah, on the Cairo extension of the Illinois Central, was visited by a destructive fire yesterday morning.

The building occupied by the Bandana Mercantile company, together with stock and fixtures, and the building occupied by the Ballard County bank, northeast of the other, were destroyed and the Shaw Hotel, nearby, caught and was damaged, but was saved by an asbestos sheeting under the weatherboarding.

The blaze was discovered yesterday morning about 3 o'clock, and there being no fire protection at Bandana, the flames soon burned themselves out. At 4:30 the blaze had done its work.

The origin of the fire is unknown. Some claimed to have seen the back door of the Mercantile company's store open immediately after the fire was discovered, but this is denied today.

The stock in the latter, which was a general merchandise store, was worth about \$5,000, with \$3,500 insurance. G. S. and G. A. Meyers compose the company, and R. S. Stuart and G. S. Meyers owned the building.

The bank's books, money and other valuables were all safe in the vault, and were not damaged in the least. The loss on bank building and furniture is estimated at \$1,000, with \$500 insurance. The building was an old one, and the bank was preparing to move into its new building this week.

The damage to the hotel was about

\$250, with no insurance. One side of the weatherboarding was burned off.

The Ballard County bank has a fine new building, said to be the finest bank building in Ballard county, and will move into it at once, hence yesterday's fire will not inconvenience the bank in the least.

THREE MEN

ATTEMPTED TO GET A FREE RIDE TO PADUCAH.

Train Was Stopped and They Were Vanquished by the Train Crew.

The crew on train No. 306, from St. Louis to Paducah via Carbondale, due at 3 o'clock p. m., had a desperate fight near Metropolis yesterday with three half drunken men who, it is alleged, tried to hold up the crew for a free ride to town.

The men got on the train at Metropolis and started to ride to Paducah, it is presumed. They got in the front car and gained the forward platform, blocking the door so as to prevent Conductor C. H. Blaney and Flagman J. J. Bryant from getting to them.

The train was stopped, however, the conductor being determined that the men pay or get off, and the strangers showed fight. The train was near several piles of cross-ties and a pitched battle was waged for several minutes. The crew of the train came out victorious and completely routed the would-be toughs.

Death at Symsonia.

Mrs. Holly Gambill, aged 84, died yesterday at Symsonia, Ky., of general debility. She was one of the oldest residents in this end of the state and was well known in the Symsonia section. She leaves two sons and three daughters. She was a member of the Baptist church and the funeral will be held this afternoon at Clark's river cemetery.

The bookkeeper who writes a fancy flowing hand is almost as suspicious as the stenographer who comes to work in a pink silk waist.

CHECKING CLERK LOCKED IN A CAR

F. F. Boswell Made a Prisoner By Accident Yesterday.

He Could Not Attract Any One's Attention Through the Thick Sides of the Car.

WAS FOUND IN NICK OF TIME.

F. F. Boswell, aged 17, a checking clerk employed in the night service of the local I. C. yard department, was made a prisoner by accident in a big refrigerator car yesterday morning in the I. C. south yards, and had it not been for his accidental discovery by a car inspector, the young man might now be speeding hundreds of miles south on a manifest freight train, his friends and employers knowing nothing of his whereabouts.

Boswell was sent out early in the morning to check a string of freight cars in the yards. He, with all other checking clerks, had been instructed by General Agent John Donovan to get into every freight loaded car if the car was not sealed, and see if anything was missing. Boswell started out about 4 o'clock Sunday morning to work over the cars. He saw the seal of a big loaded refrigerator car had been broken, or the door not sealed at all, and climbed up to investigate.

Refrigerator cars are made stronger than ordinary freight cars, and have a patent door which opens on hinges. When the door is closed it shuts and latches automatically on the outside, and very little air can get in or out. The double walls of the car prevent much sound escaping. While in the big car with the door standing open, Boswell was made a prisoner by a switch engine passing on the siding, striking the open door and knocking it shut. The automatic latch worked beautifully and Boswell found himself a prisoner. He beat on the sides of the car, shouted and did everything he could think of to attract attention, but few pedestrians and employees were out at that time in the morning.

Boswell was imprisoned at 4 o'clock and was not released until 9, when he was accidentally discovered by an inspector who was going into the south yards to inspect cars. The inspector heard a muffled sound in the car and lifting the latch looked in. He found Boswell frantic and well-nigh exhausted from his hours of futile beating and shouting in the car. Boswell had little to say but made straight for the yard office and then home for a good rest.

PADUCAH TWIRLERS

Hedges to Return to Three-Eye---Brahic May Go to Southern.

Alonzo Hedges, the baseball pitcher stated this morning that he would be back in the Springfield, Ill., team this season in the Three I league.

Hedges has accepted terms and will report as soon as directed. He has not received his contract yet, but the acceptance of terms is equivalent to a signature of the contract. Hedges says he is in good form and is sure he will pitch winning ball this season.

Dick Brahic, the Paducah pitcher, has received an offer from a Southern league team, Montgomery, Ala. It is said, but it is not known, whether or not the local management will let him go.

Bloody Encounters.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 29.—It is reported from Kutais, in Trans-Caucasia that serious encounters have taken place there between the revolutionists and troops in which several of the latter were killed. The arrival of General Altkhanoff with troops from Tiflis brought about a restoration of order.

Nippkins—Why so blue, old boy? Bliffkins—I tried to economize by marrying my typewriter.

Nippkins—Good idea.

Bliffkins—No, it wasn't. She refuses to do any more typewriting, demands two servants to take care of her, insists that my next typewriter shall be a man, although men want larger salaries.—New York Weekly.

Invitations and wedding announcements are a specialty of The Sun's job department with prices lower than elsewhere.

LARGE CROWD HEARD TEMPERANCE TALKS

Methodist Church Filled at Each of the Addresses.

Endowment Day at Grace Church—The Baptist Revival Continues.

NEWS OF OTHER CHURCHES

Yesterday was known as "Union Gospel Temperance Rally Day," some of the churches uniting in the services which were held at the Broadway Methodist church by Dr. M. J. Fanning, of St. Louis, who came here through the influence of the ministerial association and other prominent workers in the city. His address was "My Country and Yours; What Shall It Be."

Dr. Fanning is a very talented speaker and was greeted by three large audiences at the morning, afternoon and night services, the Sunday School room being thrown open to accommodate the crowd. The afternoon service was for men only and was largely attended. Deal's Orchestral band furnished the music for this. An after-meeting was held at night in the interest of legislation work.

Dr. Fanning was educated for a lawyer, but has given thirty years of his life to his present work. He handles his facts in the most convincing and able manner and is devoid of sensationalism. He has the eloquence, wit and magnetism of the true Irishman, and greatly pleased all who heard him.

The revival which has been in progress for seventy-one days at the First Baptist church continues with increased interest, yesterday's service being the best yet held. There were 18 additions to the church and a large number of professions. At the night hour the church was crowded, the gallery and aisles being packed and the doors had to be closed on account of the crowd. An overflow meeting was held in the basement of the church. There have been 116 additions to this church in the last two weeks.

The unabated interest precludes any probability of the series of services being discontinued as long as Evangelist Cates can remain here. It is by far the largest meeting ever held by Mr. Cates, fifteen days being his usual limit, and his strength has

stood the continued strain remarkably. There is some talk, if the warmer weather finds the meeting still in progress, of getting a large tract of ground, putting a tent on it and holding open air and tent services during the summer.

Yesterday was observed as Endowment Sunday at Grace Episcopal church, and an offering was made for the endowment of the diocese. This is in memory of the late Bishop T. U. Dudley, who was greatly interested in accomplishing this work. The Sunday nearest the date of his death is generally observed as the day.

There were nine additions to the Second Baptist church at yesterday's service. One new member was received by profession at the morning service, and seven at the evening hour. Rev. E. H. Cunningham, the pastor, is doing a fine work in that end of the city and is rapidly building up his church.

Rev. J. W. Blackard, presiding elder of the Paducah district, held his first quarterly meeting in Mayfield yesterday. Saturday's Mayfield Messenger says: "The Rev. J. W. Blackard, D. D., presiding elder of this the Paducah district, appointed at the recent session of the Memphis annual conference in this city, will arrive this evening for his first official visit to the Mayfield Methodist church. Dr. Blackard has just completed a full quadrennium as presiding elder of the Jackson, Tenn., district and comes to us announced as a well-beloved, courteous, experienced scholarly representative of the great church which he serves. The good people of Mayfield cordially welcome Dr. Blackard to her list of the ministers of the Master."

MONEY GONE

And Buffalo's Mayor is Charged With Neglect of Duty.

Buffalo, Jan. 29.—Formal charges of neglect of duty have been drawn up against Mayor Adams of this city, as an outgrowth of an investigation into the methods of accounting for the city's police pension. When the investigation disclosed that \$9,000 was missing from the pension fund Superintendent Bell promptly paid that amount into the city treasury.

To Beautify Court House Yard. Jailor James Eaker has several trusty prisoners working in the court house yard trimming trees. Judge Lightfoot intends to make the court house yard even prettier than it was last year, and will have flowers and plants of all kinds in the flower beds.

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Special Sale Of Muslin Curtains Wednesday

50 pairs plain Muslin Curtains, 36 inches wide, 3 yards long, made with five rows of tucks and five inch full ruffle, per pair

50c

25 pairs sheer quality Muslin Curtains, made plain, with six inch ruffle, a pair

75c

The sale begins at 9 o'clock and lasts until the stock is exhausted.

Curtain Section, third floor